

## CORK MAYOR WITH MILITARY ESCORT WELCOMED HERE

Daniel J. O'Callaghan Met by Crowd and Compelled to Make Speech.

RECEPTION IN HOTEL Visitor Says Irish Freedom Is Business of America, France and Italy.

HOME RULE NOT WANTED Asserts Ireland Will Fight to Annihilation Until She Gets What She Seeks.

Daniel J. O'Callaghan, Terence MacSwiney's successor as Lord Mayor of Cork, arrived yesterday in New York city, announcing that he had come to preach that, while Sinn Féin meant "We Ourselves," freedom for Ireland was the business of America, France, Italy and all other countries that believe in liberty. He was met at the Pennsylvania Station by a crowd not so large as that which greeted Muriel MacSwiney, but just about as enthusiastic.

They overhauled him and the motor car that carried him to the Hotel Wolcott, where he will live while in New York. They burst through the doors of the hotel and compelled him to hold a reception, while a crowd of men and women shook his hands. They staged several lively fights for reasons that were not very clear. The fights were brief, for there were fifty policemen to see to it that calm was preserved.

Mr. O'Callaghan said he did not know how long he would be in America; that he hoped to stay here two or three months if he could. He was met at the hotel by a crowd of men and women, who apologized for his unceremonious entrance to America—coming as a stay-away abroad a freighter—but said that he had "about as much right to get a passport from the British Government as England has of defeating the purposes of the Irish people."

Met by a Delegation.

A delegation headed by the Rev. Father Timothy Shanley, Harry Boland and Peter J. Brady, supervisor of the City Record, met Mayor O'Callaghan at the station. He had come from New York and said that his progress north was one calculated to assure him that America was friendly. At Newark and at Manhattan Transfer New Jersey delegates cheered him. He was honored by a military escort when he did arrive in Manhattan—two squads of doughboys from the Sixty-ninth Infantry, New York guard, led by no less a personage than Major "Dynamite" Mike Lally. By main force his escort managed to fight him clear of the crowd at the hotel and establish him in an eighth floor suite.

A thousand persons, brave with flags—the Stars and Stripes and the Irish Republic—stood at Thirty-first street after the reception and demanded a speech from the young man. He talked from a window high above their heads and despite the fact that they could hear but little they roared with approval. He is the third Lord Mayor of Cork who has been in New York. Terence MacSwiney, who preceded him, explained that he realized that being Mayor of Cork has its drawbacks from a standpoint of creature comfort, but that he's quite ready to suffer anything that may come if, by doing so, he can lead impetus to the cause of the Sinn Féin.

"Understand me," he continued, "I don't court arrest. I wish to avoid it. Ireland needs her young men if her cause is to live. I am willing to die for her, but I am living for her and want to go on living for her."

The Lord Mayor is just 29 years old and besides being Mayor of Cork is chairman of the County Council, which corresponds in the main to our own Board of Aldermen. He is a shipping broker by business and singularly calm and self-contained for one so obviously zealous.

Ready to Confer with Premier.

"We are ready to confer with Lloyd George," the mayor declared, "but we must see him under no misapprehension. We want nothing short of independence. If they decide to give us home rule we shall not resist it with great force, but we will not let it be a development. We don't want home rule and we will not have it. If England forces it upon us, we shall, as I say, await developments. We shall let the people of Ireland tell England the result. Such is our republican organization at this moment that we are ready to start immediately to function as a government. There'll be no hitch. We can govern ourselves if there is one who dissent from the government of the majority we shall deal with them as such dissenters are dealt with."

Mayor O'Callaghan wore the six strand gold chain which has been the official insignia of Lord Mayors of Cork for centuries. J. L. Fawcett, who is recognized by Sinn Féin as the Consul General of the Irish Republic in New York, accompanied him, and Peter MacSwiney, brother of Terence, never left his side. O'Callaghan is a slight man with clean cut features and eyes that proclaim that the man is very brave.

"I have come to testify before the Nation's committee of inquiry into conditions in Ireland," said the Lord Mayor. "Also I have come to add what I can to the agitation for American sympathy for Ireland. How will I return? I don't know. Will I be arrested when I get back? I don't know. I don't think there's much chance of it. I will be in the next two or three months. I have no faith in the negotiations now supposed to be under way.

"Cork is ruled by the Black and Tans. You can walk the streets freely enough by day saving being held up now and then and searched. But the nights are bad.

"Yes, we've stopped carrying money and watches in Cork. It doesn't pay because if the Black and Tans think you have anything worth taking they hold you up and take it. One of their favorite amusements is to get drunk and take the wine from the tables and whip citizens along the street—keep them moving. If a citizen complains too vociferously he is shot. There's no redress. They are laws unto themselves, these police.

"I've been fortunate. I've been arrested twice only and spent but brief periods in jail. When they arrested me I escaped them. I escaped them in May, I escaped out of the city for ten months. Make no mistake about it, the vast majority of the people of Ireland subscribe to the Sinn Féin policies. There's no honest difference between those Irish who call themselves republicans and those who call themselves Sinn Féin.

"No," the Bishop of Cork, Bishop

Cohalan, represents no considerable element. The most charitable view to take of Bishop Cohalan is to say that he is out of touch with the people. He has decreed excommunication for those taking part in rioting and murder. He is an old man, who knows more of his books than he does of his people—a philosopher, really.

"Understand me," he continued, "I don't wear us out. If it be England's policy to keep at it until we are too worn out to resist longer the end of the Irish people is assured. We shall resist until we are annihilated—I mean annihilation literally. We shall never surrender, women, men and children. We think we have the right to expect official aid from America. All we ask of America is that you assist us to get peace—nothing else.

"We rejoiced in the election of Senator Harding. We believed that the vote that elected him was an anti-British vote. But come what may, we shall resist there are no more of us. England must grant us independence or Ireland will be ruled by terror. Those nations like America and France who fought that small nation might be safe are in duty bound to aid us."

**O'CALLAGHAN CALLS AT CARDINAL'S RESIDENCE Attends Mass and Receives Baltimore Admirers.**

BALTIMORE, Jan. 9.—Daniel J. O'Callaghan, Lord Mayor of Cork, who arrived here this morning from Norfolk, was disappointed in not having the pleasure of seeing Cardinal Gibbons. He called at the Cardinal's residence, left his card and then attended the 9 o'clock mass in the cathedral. No visitor has been permitted to see the Cardinal since his return home because of his illness.

A point brought up in connection with O'Callaghan's parole was whether it will be a violation of the parole for him to travel. Judge Lawless was asked if there was any condition in the parole to give notice that he is to leave the United States. The Judge said there are no conditions and that as he is a citizen of the United States, he is free to go as he pleases.

**CATHOLIC AID ASKED FOR IRISH VICTIMS Appeal for Those Made Destitute by Reprisals Is Read in Churches.**

Archbishop Patrick J. Hayes sent out an appeal yesterday for Irish relief, which was read at all masses in each church of the diocese. Collections were taken and the money will be sent to Ireland for the purpose of aiding those who have been made destitute by reprisals and other causes. The appeal follows in part:

"To the Catholic people of New York there is carried across the seas on the cold wintry winds of the season the cry and the wail of innocent victims of the Catholic people of Ireland. From blackened ruins that yesterday were happy Irish homes; from charred walls that yesterday were busy Irish lairs; from barren fields that yesterday were fertile; from desecrated churches and churchyards that yesterday were Irish altars and hallowed resting places of the dead; from deserted convent halls that yesterday were Irish cloisters of holy nuns comes a doleful appeal for immediate help.

"The mandate I bear in presenting this appeal from the Irish bishops is one of Christian charity and nothing else. For the moment the political fortunes of Ireland are set aside. We face a plain duty in the light and love of brotherhood. In giving to the poor of Ireland, we are giving to the poor of Christ. We are giving to the poor of Christ who have us as God and in doing what Christ would have us do for His children in dire need. The amount received will be sent to the Bishop of Ireland."

"This appeal is not intended to interfere with the forthcoming campaign on behalf of the starving and stricken children of central Europe, which Mr. Hervey Hooper is conducting so successfully and which, I am confident, our good people will support with their usual generosity at the proper time, as was done by them last spring."

**AMBUSH IS REPORTED NEAR DUBLIN COUNTY**

**London Paper Gets News of Extensive Operations.**

LONDON, Jan. 9.—A despatch to the Daily Mail from Dublin says it is rumored that Crown forces have been ambushed at Dunmurry, county Meath, on the border of Dublin county. The despatch adds that the operations appear to have been extended over a wide area, from Leixlip, in the East, through Coleraine, Maynooth, and Kildare, at all of which places road bridges are reported to have been destroyed, to Ballynascorney in the West.

There has been no official confirmation of the rumors, but all the wires of the districts concerned have been cut.

**BRITISH GUARD FOOD SENT BY IRISH IN U. S.**

**Armed Force Placed Aboard Craft at Queenstown.**

QUEENSTOWN, Ireland, Jan. 9.—On the arrival here today from New York of the American steamer Honolulu with a cargo of provisions for the relief of the starving in Ireland, the British guard placed an armed guard on the vessel. Notwithstanding the protest of the captain the guard remained on the steamer when it proceeded for Cork.

The Honolulu (Capt. D. Docherty), of the Moore-McCormack Commercial Line, sailed from New York on December 22 for the relief of the starving in Ireland. It is the only steamer of the line to have been so equipped.

The Honolulu had on board a cargo of 1,700 tons of foodstuffs, consisting of flour, oatmeal, sugar, condensed milk, groceries, canned goods, baking powder, Fellow's syrup, clothing, shoes, etc.

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## ROYAL AMERICAN COLORS PRESENTED

Historic Standard of King's Rifle Corps Accepted by Trinity Church.

ON GOVERNORS ISLAND Returned to Place Where Tory Troops Were Stationed From 1756 Until 1783.

An instance of international goodwill was celebrated yesterday in a colorful setting on the parade grounds at Governors Island and impressively concluded in the quaint little Chapel of St. Cornelius the Centurion. It was the formal acceptance by the Trinity Church of the original colors of the King's Royal Rifle Corps of Great Britain, which was first known as the Royal American Regiment and which was stationed at Governors Island from 1756 until 1783.

The formal presentation of the colors was made by Emile A. Hart, grandson of Gen. Aaron Hart, who was a member of the King's Royal Rifle Corps of the Royal American Regiment in 1783, and was formally accepted by Rev. Dr. William T. Manning, rector of Trinity Church, and his staff were guests of the wardens and vestrymen of Trinity Church at dinner at the University Club.

The Royal American Regiment was established in 1756 by order of King George II. It was officered by "foreigners" recruited entirely in what now are the States of Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania. Its object was to meet the advances of the Indians by a combination of the training of experienced soldiers and the experience and woodcraft of scouts. The regiment has an honorable record. It was in engagements at Bushy Run, Pa., under Col. Henri Bouquet at Louisburg in 1758, at Quebec in 1759 and later at Montreal and Charlevoix. Following the fall of Quebec in 1759 and the capture of Montreal by the British the regimental commander, Col. Haldimand, was selected as military governor of Montreal. The regimental march, which was composed during Col. Haldimand's tenure of command, was played yesterday at the conclusion of the ceremonies.

The historic colors were carried by the regimental band, in Jamaica and to the Cape of Good Hope. In 1818 they became the property of Lieut. Col. Alexander Andrews, the commanding officer. A descendant of his later presented the colors to Col. Walter Hobeck, a succeeding commander, and Col. Hobeck's widow presented the colors to the regiment, now known as the Kings Royal Rifle Corps. It was through the courtesy of Col. Hobeck that the colors were presented to the Kings Royal Rifle Corps, and Field Marshal Grenfell, colonel commandant, that the colors are now returned to America to be hung in the chapel of Governors Island, where the regiment was stationed in the early days of its existence.

The deed of gift by which the transfer is made follows: "The Officers and Men of The King's Royal Rifle Corps have the honor to request that the accompanying Regimental Colour which was presented to the 1st Battalion in 1788, under its original name of the Royal American Regiment, may be taken in charge by the Rector, Churchwardens and Vestrymen of Trinity Church, New York, and be deposited in the Chapel of St. Cornelius the Centurion, Governors Island, in memory of the fact that Governors Island was the Depot of the Regiment from 1756 to 1783, and Trinity Church in which the officers and men habitually worshipped."

"It is hoped also that this Colour may serve as a memento of the fact that The Royal American Regiment and the Regiments of New York fought shoulder to shoulder not only during the many years of warfare which ended in the conquest of New France and the subjection of the Indian Tribes bordering on the Great Lakes; but also, after the lapse of a century and a half, against a common enemy in a more terrible European contest. GRENELL, Field Marshal, "Colonel Commandant King's Royal Rifle Corps."

"May 29, 1920."

"LONDON" 16 ST. JAMES STREET, S.W. 1. The colors were taken in charge by the Rev. Edmund Banks Smith, chaplain of the post, by a color guard provided by the Twenty-second United States Infantry. As Chapter Smith handed over the colors the escort presented arms, in front of headquarters, a fanfare from the regimental band marked the passing, and spectators, numbering a couple of thousand, who were present on the occasion, stood bareheaded. Then, with the regimental band playing a quickstep, the color guard wheeled into position and, escorted by a company of the regiment in

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